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MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION
Olympia, Washington**

To: Pharmacists
Managed Care Plans

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Subject: Prescription Drug Program: Maximum Allowable Cost Update

Effective for dates of service on and after February 1, 2005, the Medical Assistance Administration (MAA) will implement the following changes to the Prescription Drug Program:

1. New additions to the Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) list; and
2. Adjustments to existing MACs.

1. MAC Additions:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/05
GABAPENTIN	100MG	CAPSULE	\$0.40730
GABAPENTIN	300MG	CAPSULE	\$0.96720
GABAPENTIN	400MG	CAPSULE	\$1.12000
NORETHINDRONE ACETATE/ETHINYL ESTRADIOL/FERROUS FUMARATE	1.5-0.03MG	TABLET	\$0.86140
SOTALOL HCL	80MG	TABLET	\$0.18990
SOTALOL HCL	120MG	TABLET	\$0.27320
SOTALOL HCL	160MG	TABLET	\$0.35610
SOTALOL HCL	240MG	TABLET	\$0.43660
THEOPHYLLINE ANHYDROUS	400MG	TABLET SA	\$0.84810

2. MAC Adjustments:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/05
ESTRADIOL	1MG	TABLET	\$0.06050
MECLIZINE HCL	25MG	TABLET	\$0.03840

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/05
METFORMIN HCL	1000MG	TABLET	\$0.18850
METFORMIN HCL	500MG	TABLET SR	\$0.15000
MIRTAZAPINE	30MG	TABLET	\$0.34350
MISOPROSTOL	200MCG	TABLET	\$0.68270
MISOPROSTOL	100MCG	TABLET	\$0.47720
WARFARIN SODIUM	2.5MG	TABLET	\$0.22670
WARFARIN SODIUM	5MG	TABLET	\$0.21950
WARFARIN SODIUM	7.5MG	TABLET	\$0.28500

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